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RESPONSE TO UNDER 37 CFR 1.116

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

This paper is submitted responsive to the Office Action mailed September 22, 2006 and having a shortened statutory period for response set to expire on December 22, 2006.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

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